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Welcome:

On behalf of the 99 members of the Tennessee House of Representatives, I want to welcome you to the State Capitol and the House Chamber.

During your visit, I hope you will take the time to observe the exquisite historical architecture you will find throughout the Capitol. Despite the stately appearance of the Capitol building, you will find that it serves the viable function for which it was erected in 1855. The House Chamber, in conjunction with the Legislative Plaza, is where your state legislators meet to study, debate, and pass the laws of Tennessee.

Please remember that all sessions of the General Assembly held in the Chamber, as well as all meetings held in the Legislative Plaza, are open to the public. I encourage you to attend a Session of the House of Representatives so that you can see how the legislative process works. I also encourage you to visit the state representative from your home district. You are more than welcome to meet with any of them to voice your opinion on an issue or for any other reason you may wish.

Again, I want to thank you for visiting the Tennessee House of Representatives, and I hope that you enjoy your stay with us.

Sincerely,

Jimmy Naifeh
Speaker of the House

TENNESSEE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

101st GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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**JIMMY NAIFEH
OF TIPTON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 94**

Address P.O. Box 97, Covington 38019; **Date of Birth** 06/16/39; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 3; **Occupation** Businessman; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Episcopalian; **Organizations and Affiliations** Former President, Covington Rotary Club; Director, Covington/Tipton County Chamber of Commerce; Member, South Tipton Chamber of Commerce; UT Alumni Association; Board of Directors, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital; **Member** 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, and 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Fayette and Tipton—81st Representative District

SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

**LOIS M. DeBERRY
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 83**

Address 2429 Verdun Street, Memphis 38114; **Date of Birth** 05/05/45; **Marital Status** Married; children—Michael Boyer; **Occupation** Educator; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** B.A., Lemoyne-Owen College; President Emeritus, National Black Caucus of State Legislators; Women In Government; Southern Women In Public Service; National Organization of Black Elected Legislative Women; NCSL; State Legislative Leaders Foundation; NAACP; P.U.S.H.; Delta Sigma Theta Sorority; Memphis Chapter of LINKS; **Member** 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—91st Representative District



HOUSE MAJORITY LEADER



JERE L. HARGROVE OF PUTNAM COUNTY CHAMBER SEAT NO. 22

Address 761 Loweland Road, Cookeville 38501;
E-Mail Address rep.jere.hargrove@state.tn.us;
Date of Birth 09/17/46; **Marital Status** Single;
Children Becca, Matt, Sara, Drew; **Occupation**
Attorney; **Political Preference** Democrat;
Religious Preference Church of Christ;
Education A.A., Freed-Hardeman University,
1966; B.A., Abilene Christian University, 1969;
J.D. University of Tennessee, 1981; **Previous**
Service Putnam County Attorney, 1986-87;
Assistant District Attorney for the 13th Judicial
District, 1987-1990; Assistant Majority Leader
98th and 99th General Assemblies; Majority
Leader 100th General Assembly; **Member** 97th,
98th, 99th, 100th, and 101st General Assemblies;
County Represented Putnam—42nd
Representative District

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS CHAIRMAN

RANDY RINKS OF HARDIN COUNTY CHAMBER SEAT NO. 76

Address 1815 Wayne Road, Savannah 38372;
Date of Birth 01/01/54; **Marital Status**
Married; **Occupation** Self-Employed; **Political**
Preference Democrat; **Religious Preference**
Cumberland Presbyterian; **Organizations and**
Affiliations Elder, Cumberland Presbyterian;
Carolina-Tennessee Building Material
Association; **Member** 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th,
and 101st General Assemblies; **Counties**
Represented Decatur, Hardin, McNairy—71st
Representative District



HOUSE MINORITY LEADER



**STEVE K. McDANIEL
OF HENDERSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 23**

Address 97 Battleground Drive, Parkers Crossroads 38388; **Date of Birth** 10/20/51; **Spouse** Phyllis; children—Andrea; **Occupation** Restaurant Owner/Operator; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Organizations and Affiliations** Henderson County Chamber of Commerce; John B. Ingram Camp, SCV; TN Restaurant Association; Tourism Association of Southwest TN; Henderson County Historical Society; Henderson County Possum Club; Jackson Area Chamber of Commerce; American Legislative Exchange Council; Historian of the Parker's Crossroads Battlefield Association; Member, National Restaurant Association; Member, National Rifle Association; **Member** 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, and 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Henderson and Madison—72nd Representative District

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS CHAIRMAN

**JIM BOYER
OF KNOX COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 24**

Address 4501 Idumea, Corryton 37721 **Date of Birth** 11/19/38; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Land Surveyor; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** State Chairman, American Legislative Exchange Council; American Congress Surveying and Mapping; President, National Society of Professional Surveyors; TN Association of Professional Surveyors; East Knox Business and Professional Organization; Halls Republican Club; 8th District Republican Club; **Member** 98th, 99th, 100th, and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Knox—19th Representative District



**JOSEPH E. "JOE" ARMSTRONG
OF KNOX COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 25**

Address 2624 Selma Avenue, Knoxville 37914; **Date of Birth** 11/30/56; **Spouse** Latonia; **Occupation** Insurance/Business; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Board Member, Community Action Committee; Beck Cultural Exchange Center; Knoxville; NAACP; Eastside YMCA; Eastside Optimist Club; Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; UT Black Alumni Association; Member, Knoxville Urban League; Black Male Task Force; Black Health Care Commission; Knoxville College Alumni Association; National Insurance Association; **Member** 96th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Knox—15th Representative District



**JOHN ARRIOLA
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 39**

Address 17 Legislative Plaza, Nashville 37243; **Date of Birth** 07/24/56; **Spouse** Michelle; **Children** Jessica and Katie; **Occupation** Restaurant Owner; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Organizations and Affiliations** Historic Nashville Jaycees; Woodbine Lions Club; SAE TN TAU '79; IOOF, TN Lodge No. 1; **Member** 97th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Davidson—53rd Representative District



**WILLIAM BAIRD
OF CAMPBELL COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 90**

Address 219 War Memorial Building, Nashville 37243; **Date of Birth** 02/15/52; **Spouse** Jamie; **Children** William, Keeling; **Occupation** Affiliate Realty Broker; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Deacon, Choir Member, Former Chairman of Stewardship Committee, Chairman of Deacons, Steering Committee, Church Trustee, Youth Committee, Usher Committee, and Church Council, Jacksboro First Baptist Church; Member, Concerned Citizens for Better Campbell County; Member, Inaugural Class of Leadership Campbell County; **Member** 101st General Assembly; **County Represented** Anderson and Campbell—36th Representative District





**MAE BEAVERS
OF WILSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 67**

Address 228 Brookhollow Drive, Old Hickory 37122; **Date of Birth** 12/11/47; **Spouse** Jerry; **Children** Eric and Jason; **Occupation** Financial Services; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Nazarene; **Organizations and Affiliations** Charter Member, Kiwanis Club of Mt. Juliet; former Secretary, Big Brothers of Mt. Juliet; Mt. Juliet/West Wilson Lion's Club; Donelson Hospital Women's Health Advisory Board; Home Technology Healthcare Advisory Board; NRA; Wilson County Republican Party; Wilson County Republican Women; West Wilson Republicans; West Wilson Republican Women; Mt. Juliet Chamber of Commerce; Assistant Floor Leader, Middle part-99th General Assembly; Secretary, House Republican Caucus, 100th General Assembly; **Honors/Awards** 1998 Distinguished Alumni Award—Coalition of Christian Colleges and Universities **Previous Service** Wilson County Commission, 1990-1994; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Wilson, Rutherford and Marshall—57th Representative District



**HARLEY EARNEST "H.E." BITTLE
OF KNOX COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 9**

Address 2947 W. Gallaher Ferry Road, Knoxville 37932; **Date of Birth** 04/19/37; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 2—1 Grandson; **Occupation** Businessman; **Political Preference** Republican; **Organizations** Founder, Water Project 90's; Chairman, Sportsman's Wildlife Foundation; President, National Association of Sportsmen Legislators; NCSL; American Legislative Exchange Council; Cherokee Masonic Lodge #728 F&AM; NRA; West Knoxville Republican Party; **Previous Service** Elected House Minority Leader, 98th and 99th General Assemblies; Minority Floor Leader, 97th General Assembly; Assistant Minority Floor Leader, 96th General Assembly; **Member** 96th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Knox—14th Representative District

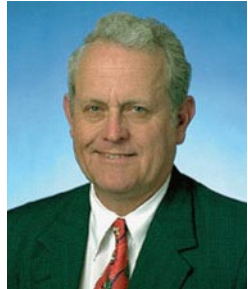


**DIANE BLACK
OF SUMNER COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 66**

Address 117 Cheyenne Drive, Hendersonville 37075; **Date of Birth** 01/16/51; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 3; **Occupation** Registered Nurse; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Lutheran; **Education** B.S.N.; **Organizations and Affiliations** Hendersonville Rotary Club; Gallatin Chapter American Cancer Society; American Heart Association; United Way of Sumner County; YMCA; Gallatin and Hendersonville Chambers of Commerce; Hendersonville League of Women Voters; Leadership Sumner Alumni Association; Habitat for Humanity; P.E.O.; Gallatin Toastmaster; **Honors/Awards** 1993 Rotarian of the Year, Hendersonville Rotary Club; 1998 Leadership Sumner Distinguished Alumni; **Member** 101st General Assembly; **County Represented** Sumner—45th Representative District

**SAM STRATTON BONE, JR.
OF WILSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 19**

Address 2455 Carthage Highway, Lebanon 37087; **Office Address** 110 War Memorial Building, Nashville 37243 (615) 741-7086; **Date of Birth** 04/12/38; **Spouse** Martha; **Children** 1; **Occupation** Farming, Residential Construction; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Presbyterian; **Education** Graduate of Cumberland University; Graduate of University of Tennessee, BS Agriculture; **Organizations and Affiliations** Wilson County Commission (1969-1978) and (1982-1996); Wilson County Library Board; Highland Rim Library Board; Lebanon-Wilson County Development Board; Joint Economic Community Development Board; TN Cattleman's Association; Soil Conservation Board; Wilson County Tourism Council; TN Air National Guard (Retired); UT College of Agriculture Development Board; UT Alumni Association; **Honors/Awards** Lebanon High School Distinguished Alumni Award; City of Lebanon Leadership Award, 1995; Long Rifle Award, Boy Scouts of America; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Trousdale and Wilson—46th Representative District



**KATHRYN I. BOWERS
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 84**

Address 1307 Swallow Lane, Memphis 38116; **Date of Birth** 05/02/43; **Marital Status** Single; **Children** 2; **Occupation** Executive Director Memphis Area Minority Contractors Association; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Catholic; **Organizations and Affiliations** YWCA of Memphis; Eastern Star Caution Chapter, 1994; NAACP; Inner City Voter Education Committee; Memphis Opportunities Industrialization Center, 1971-1980, Memphis Urban League, 1976-1980; Tennessee Federation of Democratic Women; President, Democratic Women of Shelby County, 1974-1976; Volunteer Women's Roundtable 1970-75; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—87th Representative District



**ROBERT W. BRILEY
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 45**

Address 1106 Forrest Ave, Nashville 37206; **Date of Birth** 10/15/66; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Donelson-Hermitage Chamber of Commerce; Lockeland Springs Neighborhood Association, East Nashville R/UDAT Steering Committee; Nashville, Tennessee, and American Bar Associations; **Member** 101st General Assembly; **County Represented** Davidson—52nd Representative District





**HENRI E. BROOKS
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 68**

Address 1247 South Parkway East, Memphis 38106; **Date of Birth** 02/02/49; **Children** Chanda L. Brooks; **Occupation** Health Education; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, Orange Mound Concerned Citizens Coalition; Orange Mound Senior Citizens Council; Member, Memphis Women's Political Caucus; Memphis Branch NAACP; Member, Memphis 2000; Chair, Task Force 7; Member, Memphis Regional Teen Pregnancy Prevention Council; Founder, Metropolitan Memphis Nonpartisan Voter Education Coalition and Juvenile Drug and Delinquency Prevention Initiative; Host of "Henri E. Brooks Legislative Report" on CableVision access television; Legislative Liaison for the African American Economic Development Coalition and Statewide Ecumenical Title VI Legal Defense Fund Coalition; Member, National Organization of Women Legislators; Member, National Organization of Black Elected Legislators; University of Memphis Women's Leadership Council; Memphis Chapter of the National Organization of Women in the Legislature; Board of Directors, Shelby Presidential and Vocational Services; National Organization of Women of Commitment; Former Member, Shelby County Democratic Club; Chairperson, Shelby County Families First Advisory Committee; Chairperson, Youth Programs Collaborative; Member, Shelby Residential and Vocational Services, Inc. Board of Directors; Member, University of Memphis Alumni Association, Member, Orange Mound Family Resource Advisory Council; Board of Directors, Shelby County Division of the American Heart Association. **Member** 98th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—92nd Representative District



**DR. TOMMIE F. BROWN
OF HAMILTON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 31**

Address 603 N. Highland Park Avenue, Chattanooga 37404; **Date of Birth** 06/25/34; **Marital Status** Single; **Occupation** Educator/Social Worker; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Founding Member, Chattanooga Chapter of the National Political Congress of Black Women and the Chattanooga Chapter of 100 Black Women; Hamilton County Democratic Women's Club; Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority; Daughter of Elks Temple #364 I.B.P.O.E. of W. **Member** 98th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Hamilton—28th Representative District

**FRANK BUCK
OF DeKALB COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 82**

Address Route 1, Dowelltown 37059; **Date of Birth** 09/26/43; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Attorney, Farmer; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Organizations and Affiliations** Farm Bureau; Lion's Club; Chamber of Commerce; **Member** 88th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Cannon, DeKalb, Macon, and Smith—40th Representative District



**DEWAYNE BUNCH
OF BRADLEY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 85**

Address 443 Worth Street, Cleveland 37311; **Date of Birth** 3/15/59; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 2; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** B.S., Tennessee Technological University; M.S., East Tennessee State University; J.D., UT Knoxville College of Law; **Member** 101st General Assembly; **Counties Represented** Bradley—24th Representative District



**STEVEN BUTTRY
OF KNOX COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 29**

Address 2080 Cecil Johnson Road, P.O. Box 51348, Knoxville 37950; **Date of Birth** 10/15/70; **Marital Status** Single; **Education** B.S., East Tennessee State University; **Occupation** Account Executive; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** American Legislative Exchange Council; National Association of Sportsmen Legislators; National Conference of State Legislators; Vice Chair, Knox County Republican Party; West Knoxville Republican Club; Karns Republican Club; Pi Kappa Alpha; **Member** 101st General Assembly; **Counties Represented** Knox—18th Representative District





**DR. GENE CALDWELL
OF ANDERSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 42**

Address 530 Riverside Drive, Clinton 37716; **Date of Birth** 3/14/32; **Marital Status** Married; **Spouse** Bobbie; **Children** 4 living, 1 deceased; **Occupation** Retired Pediatrician; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Protestant; **Education** B.S. (Agriculture), UT Knoxville; Pre-Med, Vanderbilt University; M.D. Degree, UT Memphis; **Organizations and Affiliations** Fellow, American Academy of Pediatrics; Chief of Staff, Methodist Medical Center, Oak Ridge, 1979-81; Board of Directors, Fort Sanders Management Group, 1982-85; Preferred Health Partnership Board, 1990-92; East Tennessee Economic Council; Executive Committee, UT National Alumni Association, 1973-74 and 1990-93; Consultant, Oak Ridge School System Special Education, 1967-70; US Navy Line Officer, 1953-57; US Navy Medical Corps, 1960-67; Alpha Kappa Alumni Association, Alpha Gamma Rho; **Honors/Awards** Special Achievement Award (as children's advocate), 1996 American Academy of Pediatrics Award; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Anderson—33rd Representative District



**CAROL CHUMNEY
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 70**

Address One Commerce Square, Suite 1700, Memphis 38103; **Date of Birth** 02/13/61; **Marital Status** Single; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Episcopalian; **Organizations and Affiliations** Shelby County Democratic Women; Women's Political Caucus; Memphis-Shelby County Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; American Bar Association; Tennessee Bar Association; Memphis Zoological Society Board; Memphis Youth Symphony Board; National Ornamental Metalworks Museum Board; Majority Whip, 99th General Assembly; **Member** 97th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—89th Representative District

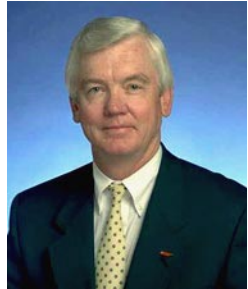


**RALPH COLE
OF CARTER COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 96**

Address 307 Ridgecrest, Elizabethton 37643; **Office Address** 217 War Memorial Building, Nashville 37243; **Date of Birth** 08/02/26; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 3; **Occupation** Retired Businessman; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** B.S., UT Knoxville; **Member** 96th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Carter—4th Representative District

**RONNIE COLE
OF DYER COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 77**

Address 2125 Aztec Drive, Dyersburg 38024; **Date of Birth** 04/26/46; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Contractor; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Tennessee Road Builders Association; American Road and Transportation Builders Association; Dyersburg-Dyer County Chamber of Commerce; Crockett County Chamber of Commerce; **Member** 98th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Crockett and Dyer—78th Representative District



**BARBARA W. COOPER
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 63**

Address 683 Harbor Edge Circle, Bldg 5, Apt #101, Memphis 38103; **Date of Birth** 8/4/29; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 3; **Occupation** Retired Teacher; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Catholic; **Education** 45 hours Postgraduate Work; **Organizations and Affiliations** Tennessee State University Alumni; NAACP; Shelby County Democratic Women; W.D. Callian (MCS) Parenting Center Board of Directors; Social Action Committee (St. Augustine Church); Universal African American People's Organization (UAAPO); Kennedy Democratic Organization (KDO); City Empowerment Zone (E-Z) Committee; **Honors/Awards** City of Memphis First Black Firemen; Teacher Recognition Day by St. Augustine Parents; Silver Tray for Outstanding Service by St. Augustine Principal, 1988-1994 and Certificates (2); **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—86th Representative District



**CHARLES CURTISS
OF WHITE COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 17**

Address 120 General Jones Road, Sparta 38583; **Date of Birth** 02/09/47; **Spouse** Peggy; **Children** Nichole; **Occupation** Manufacturing; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Freewill Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** American Legion; Shriner; York Rite Mason; Scottish Rite Mason; Past Master, Sparta Lodge #99; Member, White County Farm Bureau; USMC; White County Commissioner; White County Executive; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** White, Cumberland (in part), and Warren (in part)—43rd Representative District





**EUGENE E. "GENE" DAVIDSON
OF ROBERTSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 15**

Address 6157 Keysburg Road, Adams 37010; **Date of Birth** 01/01/47; **Marital Status** Single; **Children** Johnathan; **Occupation** Farmer; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** United Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Robertson County Layman's Club; Adams Men's Club; Tennessee Kentucky Thresherman Association; Chamber of Commerce; N.C.S.L.; Southern Regional Education Board, Legislative Advisory Council; **Member** 89th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Robertson and Cheatham (in part)—66th Representative District



**DAVID DAVIS
OF WASHINGTON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 51**

Address 2016 Northwood Drive, Johnson City 37601; **Date of Birth** 11/06/59; **Spouse** Joyce; **Children** Matthew and Rachel; **Occupation** Business Owner/Healthcare; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Deacon, Central Baptist Church, Johnson City; Washington County Republican Party; Former Chairman, Unicoi County Republican Party; Transition Team, Governor Sundquist; Delegate, White House Conference on Small Business; Board Member, Johnson City Chamber of Commerce; Farm Bureau; Conservative Roundtable; Leadership Council Member, Nation Federation of Independent Business; Former Chairman, Medicare Part B, Tennessee Association for Home Care; Board Member, Coalition for Kids; Board Member, Communities in Schools; Former Clinical Adjunct Faculty Member, Respiratory Care Department, ETSU; Leadership, Johnson City and Kingsport; Board Member, Crumley House Head Injury Rehab Center; Johnson City Rotary Club; President's Council, Milligan College; **Member** 101st General Assembly; **Counties Represented** Washington & Sullivan—6th Representative District

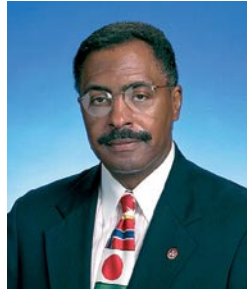


**RONNIE E. DAVIS
OF COCKE COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 33**

Address 1360 Golf Course Road, Newport 37821; **Date of Birth** 04/22/44; **Spouse** Barbara; **Children** Tracy and Brent; **Occupation** Vocational Education Director; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Kiwanis; Tennessee Education Association; Tennessee Vocational Association; American Vocational Association; **Member** 94th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Cocke and Greene—11th Representative District

**JOHN J. DeBERRY, JR.
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 60**

Address 209 War Memorial Building, Nashville 37243; **Date of Birth** 02/05/51; **Spouse** Georgia; **Children** Chevida, Victoria; **Occupation** Marketing, Advertising Executive; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Organizations and Affiliations** NAACP; Boy Scouts of America; Operation Weed and Seed; Chairman, Memphis Alcohol Committee; Junior Achievement; Regional Manager, YFU International Youth Exchange; Counselor, Bethany Homes; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—90th Representative District



**BILL DUNN
OF KNOX COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 27**

Address 5309 LaVesta Road, Knoxville 37918; **Date of Birth** 07/03/61; **Spouse** Stacy; **Children** Daniel, Katie, Elizabeth, Rachel, and Michael; **Occupation** Business Manager; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Catholic; **Organizations and Affiliations** Tennessee Right to Life; Christian Coalition; Freshman Republican Caucus Chairman, 99th General Assembly; Republican Caucus Parliamentarian, 100th General Assembly; **Member** 99th, 100th, and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Knox—16th Representative District



**MARY ANN ECKLES
OF RUTHERFORD COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 1**

Address 2811 Windsong Place, Murfreesboro 37219; **Date of Birth** 07/22/47; **Spouse** George; **Children** Trey, Ryan; **Occupation** Business Woman; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Episcopal; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, Chamber of Commerce; Member, Board of Directors, Boys & Girls Clubs; Member, Board of Directors, American Cancer Society; Member, Board of Directors, Ambassador, Middle Tennessee Medical Center; Member, Tennessee Medical Association Alliance; Chairman, State Legislative Committee; Member, Noon Rotary; Chairperson, 1993 Friends of Children Fundraiser Debutante Ball; Recipient, 1982 Outstanding Young Women of America; Graduate, 1992 Leadership Rutherford; Recipient, Leadership Rutherford Diamond Award; Served on Transportation, Health and Human Resources and Women's Health Issues Study Committees; Chairman Mental Health Subcommittee; MTSU Foundation Board; Legislator of the Year—ARC of Tennessee 1997, CMRA 1997, and TAMHO 1997; Hospital Alliance of Tennessee 1997; Truth in Democracy for Disability Coalition; Appointed to Title 33 rewrite commission (Mental Health and Mental Retardation Laws) Member, Women in Government and National Order of Women Legislators; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Rutherford—49th Representative District





**DENNIS FERGUSON
OF ROANE COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 41**

Address 334 Sunset Drive, Kingston 37763; **Date of Birth** 10/02/61; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Auto Dealer; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, Union Lodge 38, Kingston; Knoxville Scottish Rite Bodies; Knoxville Kerbela Shrine Temple; Star of Hope Chapel Church; **Awards/Honors** Recipient, 1992 Jaycees Outstanding Young Tennessean Award; 1992 Citizen of the Year, Elks Lodge #2024; **Previous Service** Majority Whip, 98th General Assembly; **Member** 97th, 98th, 100th, and 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Roane—32nd Representative District



**CRAIG FITZHUGH
OF LAUDERDALE COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 74**

Address 135 S. Alpine Street, Ripley 38063; **Date of Birth** 03/22/50; **Spouse** Pam; **Children** Elizabeth and Tom; **Occupation** Banker, Lawyer; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** B.S. Finance, J.D. University of Tennessee; **Organizations and Affiliations** Chamber of Commerce; Rotary International; Ducks Unlimited; Boy Scouts; Tennessee Bankers Association; UT Alumni Association; Tennessee Bar Association; Major, U.S. Air Force Reserve; Dixie Softball/Baseball Coach; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Haywood, Lauderdale and Hardeman (in part)—82nd Representative District



**STANCIL FORD
OF HAMBLÉN COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 98**

Address 7192 Cedar Hill Road, Talbott 37877; **Date of Birth** 06/27/32; **Marital Status** single; **Children** Kathy; **Occupation** Retired Manager, South Central Bell; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Church of God; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, Kiwanis Club; Former Chairman, Hamblen County Commission; Chairman, E-911 Board; Member, Hamblen Board of Education Advisory Committee; Member, Board of Directors Emergency Shelter; Member, Morristown Chamber of Commerce; Member, Board of Trustees, Morristown Hamblen Hospital; Past Chairman, Parks and Recreation Board; Member, Hamblen County Literacy Council; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Hamblen—10th Representative District

**JOE F. FOWLKES
OF GILES COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 3**

Address 8262 Lewisburg Highway, Cornersville 37047; **Date of Birth** 10/07/48; **Spouse** Stephanie; **Children** Joseph, Carrie, and Catherine; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, Giles County and TN Bar Associations; TN Municipal Attorneys Association; Pulaski Lions Club; Marshall and Lincoln County Chambers of Commerce; TN Historical Society; TN State Employees Association; Giles County Vocational Education Advisory Committee; Giles County Senior Citizens' Board; South Central TN Development District Board; South Central TN Human Resource Agency; **Member** 97th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Giles, Lincoln and Marshall—65th Representative District



**GEORGE FRALEY
OF FRANKLIN COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 72**

Address 1350 Bible Crossing Road, Winchester 37398; **Date of Birth** 04/04/31; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 2; **Occupation** Farmer; **Former Occupations** Engineer at A.E.D.C.; Engineering Manager; Consultant; Educator; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Education** B.S., MTSU, 1955; Management Training, University of Alabama-Huntsville; **Organizations and Affiliations** TN Farm Bureau; Franklin County Livestock Association; TN Vocational Training Center Board; UT Agricultural Extension Board; Mason and Shriner; Motlow College; Chairman, Local Elected Officials; Franklin County Resource Development Association; Franklin County Historical Society; Member, VFW; Member and past Commander, American Legion Post #44, Winchester; Korean Veteran; **Awards/Honors** Two Governor's Awards—Outstanding service in the J.T.P.A. Program and for outstanding accomplishments, great sacrifices, and distinguished contributions; **Previous Service** Franklin County Commissioner—13 years; Franklin County Executive—4 years; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Franklin, Moore and Marion in part—39th Representative District



**TIM GARRETT
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 46**

Address P.O. Box 1004, Goodlettsville 37070; **Date of Birth** 03/19/51; **Children** Matt and Macy; **Occupation** Funeral Director; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member of Bellevue, Goodlettsville, Madison, Nashville, White House, and Hendersonville Chambers of Commerce; TN Funeral Directors Association; Board Member, Bank of Goodlettsville; Deacon, Goodlettsville First Baptist Church; former member of UT Board of Governors; Baseball coach; Nashville Metro Council; **Member** 94th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Davidson—50th Representative District





**KEN GIVENS
OF HAWKINS COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 78**

Address 251 S. Bear Hollow Road, Rogersville 37857; **Office Address** 23 Legislative Plaza, Nashville 37243; **Date of Birth** 10/10/47; **Spouse** Connie; **Children** Brian, Kellie, and Amy; **Occupation** Farmer; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** B.S., M.A., Political Science, East Tennessee State University; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, American Legion; National Rifleman Association; Farm Bureau; Hawkins County Cattlemen Association; Board Member, Helping Hands; **Honors/Awards** 1998 Legislator of the Year, TN Nursing Association; Legislator of the Year, TN Forestry Association; Legislator of the Year, Hospital Alliance of TN; **Member** 96th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Hawkins and Hancock—9th Representative District



**STEVE GODSEY
OF SULLIVAN COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 56**

Address 417 Mountain View Court, Blountville 37617; **Date of Birth** 06/25/55; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 2; **Occupation** Special Project Engineer, Exide Corporation; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist, VA Avenue Baptist; **Education** Tennessee High School; Bristol College; **Organizations and Affiliations** Bristol Chamber of Commerce; Kingsport Chamber of Commerce; Blountville Community Chest; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Sullivan—1st Representative District



**MARK GOINS
OF CAMPBELL COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 86**

Address 249 Sandy Circle, LaFollette 37766; **Date of Birth** 1/5/71; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Businessman; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** B.A., History, Lincoln Memorial University; J.D., Regents University School of Law; Comparative Law Training, Oxford University; **Organizations and Affiliations** President, Student Government, Lincoln Memorial University, 1992-1993; President, Alpha Lambda Zeta, Social Service Fraternity, 1992; TN Intercollegiate State Legislature, 25th and 26th General Assemblies; Member of the House of Representatives; Phi Alpha Theta National Honor Fraternity; **Awards/Honors** Algernon Sydney Sullivan Award; Abraham Lincoln Citizenship Award; Champion Negotiator, Regent University Law School; Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges; Pupil, James Kent American Inn of the Court; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Claiborne, Union and Campbell (in part)—34th Representative District

**DOUGLAS E. GUNNELS
OF LOUDON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 52**

Address 20467 Highway 95 North, Greenback 37742; **Date of Birth** 08/15/48; **Spouse** Vicki; **Children** Cory and Brett; **Occupation** Investment Planning; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Presbyterian; **Organizations and Affiliations** Civitan Club; Greenback Masonic Lodge; O.D.D. Fellows Lodge; Elder, Pine Grove Presbyterian Church; **Member** 96th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Loudon and Monroe—21st Representative District



**JAMIE HAGOOD
OF KNOX COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 32**

Address 1020 Nokomis Circle West, Knoxville 37919; **Date of Birth** 03/06/72; **Spouse** Jeff; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** B.A., UT Knoxville, Torch Bearer; J.D., UT Knoxville; **Organizations and Affiliations** Board Member, Epilepsy Foundation of East Tennessee; Board Member, Volunteer Ministry Center; Board Member and Past Executive Director, Knoxville Quarterback Club; Discipleship Council, First Baptist Church Allocations Panel; United Way; Knoxville Bar Association; TN Bar Association; Knoxville Symphony League; South Knox Republican Club; West Knox Republican Club; Volunteer Women's Republican Club; Young Republicans; **Member** 101st General Assembly; **Counties Represented** Knox—17th Representative District



**TRE HARGETT
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 88**

Address 6361 Briergate Drive, Bartlett 38134; **Office Address** P.O. Box 34396, Bartlett 38184, (901) 683-4000; **Date of Birth** 02/07/69; **Spouse** Dawn; **Occupation** Marketing Director; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Southern Baptist; **Education** Honors B.B.A., Accounting, Memphis State University, 1991; M.B.A., Marketing, Memphis State University, 1992; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, Faith Baptist Church; Chairman, Shelby County Young Republicans; Member, Northeast Shelby Republicans; Member, Shelby County Republican Party Steering Committee; Member, Mid-South Worker's Compensation Association; Member, Alpha Tau Omega Housing Corporation, Member, UT Memphis Chancellor's Roundtable; Bartlett Area Chamber of Commerce; **Recent Honors/Awards** Outstanding Young Men of America, Recipient, Bob James Public Service Award **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—97th Representative District





**BETH H. HARWELL
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 50**

Address 42 Wyn Oak, Nashville 37205; **Date of Birth** 07/24/57; **Spouse** Sam; **Children** Allie and Sam; **Occupation** Assistant Professor; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Organizations and Affiliations** Board Member, American Heart Association; Board of Trustees, Centennial Medical Center; David Lipscomb University Business Advisory Council; Families First Advisory Council; Board of Directors, Knowles Senior Citizens Board; Leadership Nashville, 1992; Board of Directors, Nashville AML Advisory Board; Nashville Vanderbilt Club; Statewide Families First Advisory Council; Women's NETWORK Advisory Board; **Member** 96th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Davidson—56th Representative District



**JOYCE BARNETT HASSELL
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 65**

Address 700 South White Station Road, Memphis 38117; **Date of Birth** 03/14/32; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Retired Teacher; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** Bachelor of Science, Blue Mountain College; Masters, University of Memphis; **Organizations and Affiliations** 1996 Alumna of the Year, Blue Mountain College; Member, Delta Pi Epsilon, a national honorary professional graduate society in education; Member, Kappa Delta Pi, an honor society in education; Shelby County Republican Women; East Shelby Republican Club; Shelby County Republican Career Women; Member, Chancellor's Roundtable, University of Tennessee; **Member** 93rd through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—96th Representative District

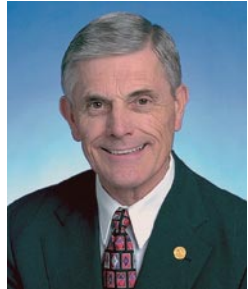


**TOMMY HEAD
OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 13**

Address 1026 Hazel Drive, Clarksville 37043; **Date of Birth** 06/04/45; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Utility Contractor and Farmer; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Mt. Carmel United Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Clarksville Chamber of Commerce; APSU Tower Club; **Member** 95th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Montgomery—68th Representative District

**JOHN D. HOOD
OF RUTHERFORD COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 2**

Address 402 Olympia Place, Murfreesboro 37130; **E-Mail Address** rep.john.hood@legislature.state.tn.us; **Date of Birth** 03/24/31; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 3; **Occupation** Bank Marketing—Retired; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Education** B.S., MTSU, 1954; M.Ed., MTSU, 1974; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, Former Chairman, Murfreesboro/Rutherford County Cultural Arts Commission; Treasurer, Rutherford County Emergency Communications District; Member, Murfreesboro Cable TV Commission; Member, Board of Directors, Tennessee Advisory Board and AAA Auto Club South; Charter Member, Exchange Club of Murfreesboro (1951); Former National President, Exchange Clubs of America; Former President, Rutherford County Chamber of Commerce; Former President, TN School Boards Association; Former President, MTSU Alumni Association; **Honors/Awards** Distinguished Alumnus, MTSU (1976); **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Rutherford—48th Representative District



**DOUG JACKSON
OF DICKSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 80**

Address 719 E. College Street, Dickson 37055; **Date of Birth** 07/10/54; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Catholic; **Organizations and Affiliations** Dickson County Chamber of Commerce; American Bar Association; TN Bar Association; Dickson County Bar Association; American Trial Lawyers Association; TN Trial Lawyers Association; Hickman County Fox Hunter's Club; **Member** 95th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Dickson and Hickman—69th Representative District



**SHERRY JONES
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 43**

Address 4947 Sherman Oaks Road, Nashville 37211; **Spouse** Richard; **Children** Ricky, Summer; **Occupation** Meeting and Event Planner, Consultant; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Presbyterian; **Organizations and Affiliations** Women's Political Caucus; Davidson County Democratic Women; Volunteer for C.A.S.A.; Chair, Davidson City Delegation, 1996-2000; Member, Health and Human Resources Committee; Member, Consumer and Employee Affairs Committee; Chair, Consumer and Employee Affairs; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Davidson—59th Representative District





**ULYSSES JONES, JR.
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 59**

Address 2158 Piedmont Avenue, Memphis 38108; **Date of Birth** 06/07/51; **Marital Status** Single; **Children** Ulysses III, Victoria; **Occupation** Fireman/Paramedic; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** President, Pioneer Black Fire Fighter; Board of Directors, Fire Fighter Investment Group (FFIG); Member, YMCA Black Achievers; Recipient, Role Model Extrordinaire for BTW High School in Memphis, West TN Optometric Society's 1986-87 Legislator of the Year; Chairman, TN Black Caucus of State Legislators, 97th and 98th Assemblies; Chairman, TN African American Male Task Force; Chairman, Governor's Minority Business Development Advisory Committee, Executive Order No. 53; Chairman, Southern Region IV of the National Black Caucus of State Legislators; Chairman, State and Local Government Committee 100th and 101st General Assemblies; Member of House Education Committee; Member, TN Commemorative Women's Suffrage Commission; Co-Author, State Enterprise Zone Legislation; Catalyst for the Development of the North Memphis Inner City Community Development Corporation. **Member** 95th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Shelby—98th Representative District



**JOE KENT
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 95**

Address 6859 Waterview Circle, Memphis 38119; **Date of Birth** 01/22/38; **Spouse** Becky; **Children** Kevin and Joe B.—grandchild, Melanie; **Occupation** Retired, Law Enforcement; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** United Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Board Member, Memphis Epilepsy and Memphis Kidney Foundations; Charter Member, Decorative Arts Trust of Brooks Art Gallery; Member, University of Memphis Highland Hundred Club; East Memphis Catholic Club; Dixon Gallery and Gardens; Board Member, Grant Information Center **Member** 91st through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—83rd Representative District



**MICHAEL L. KERNELL
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 92**

Address 38 Legislative Plaza, Nashville 37243; **Date of Birth** 12/20/51; **Marital Status** Single; **Children** David Christopher and Isabelle Marie; **Occupation** Legislator; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Member** 89th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—93rd Representative District

**HOWARD T. KERR
OF BLOUNT COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 89**

Address 1728 Big Springs Road, Maryville 37801; **Date of Birth** 03/27/42; **Martial Status** Single; **Children** 2; **Occupation** Senior Research Engineer/Beekeeper; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Protestant; **Organizations and Affiliations** American Nuclear Society; Beekeepers of Tennessee; Board of Directors, Boys and Girls Club of Blount County; Board of Directors, Technology 2020; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Blount and Loudon—20th Representative District



**MATTHEW H. KISBER
OF MADISON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 21**

Address P.O. Box 3666, Jackson 38303; **Date of Birth** 01/31/60; **Spouse** Paige; **Occupation** Businessman; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Organizations and Affiliations** Vanderbilt University Alumni Association; Southern Legislative Conference Executive Committee; Board of Directors, TN State Museum Foundation; Vice-President, Miss Tennessee Pageant; Jackson Area Chamber of Commerce; TN Industrial Development Council; American Council of Young Political Leaders; Treasurer, House Democratic Caucus; Board of Directors, Tennessee Sportsfest, Inc.; TN Holocaust Commission; Vice Chairman, National Conference of State Legislatures; Economic Development in Cultural Affairs Committee; Vice Chairman, Southern Legislative Conference, Fiscal Affairs in Government operations Committee; **Recent Honors/Awards** TN Municipal League's Harold M. Love Lifetime Science Award; TN Independent Colleges and Universities Harold Bradley Legislative Leadership Award; TN Community Cause Bird Dog Award; TN Industrial Development Council Jim Bradley Award for Economic Development; **Member** 93rd through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Madison—73rd Representative District



**EDITH TAYLOR LANGSTER
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 38**

Address 2423 Underwood Street, Nashville 37208; **Date of Birth** 01/31/50; **Children** Travis Boyce L. Langster and David D.E.W. Langster; **Occupation** Program Development Specialist; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church; Member, Davidson County Democratic Women's Club; Member, Metro Council District #20; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Davidson—54th Representative District





**DOYLE "BUTCH" LEWIS, JR.
OF COFFEE COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 40**

Address 1011 Hillsboro Blvd., Manchester 37355; **Date of Birth** 09/18/46; **Spouse** Luwin; **Children** Chip, Erika, Jon, and David; **Occupation** Businessman; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Episcopalian; **Organizations and Affiliations** Coffee County Farm Bureau; Rotary Club; Manchester and Tullahoma Chambers of Commerce; Coffee County Beautification Association; UTSI Support Council; Motlow College Foundation Trustee; Coffee County Democratic Executive Committee; Board of Directors, Hands on Science Center; Hospice of the Highland Rim; Life Member, American Legion and VFW; Former Alderman and Vice-Mayor, City of Manchester; Veteran USAF 1966-1970; **Member** 98th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Coffee and Grundy—47th Representative District



**MARK L. MADDOX
OF WEAKLEY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 73**

Address 245 Legens, Dresden 38225; **Office Address** 8250 Highway 22, Dresden 38225, (901) 364-3580; **Date of Birth** 02/10/59; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Technology Coordinator; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Presbyterian; **Education** Dresden High; B.A. and M.Ed., Trinity University; **Organizations and Affiliations** Rotary International; Weakley and Carroll County Chambers of Commerce; Treasurer, Community Development Services Board of Directors; TN Education Association; TN Vocational Association; TN Association for Supervision Curriculum Development; National Storytelling Association; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Carroll and Weakley—76th Representative District



**BILL H. McAFEE
OF HAMILTON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 12**

Address P.O. Box 15008, Chattanooga 37415; **Date of Birth** 03/10/31; **Spouse** Janice; **Children** 1; **Occupation** Public Relations—Cumberland Hall Hospital; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Protestant; **Member** 90th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Hamilton—27th Representative District

**JOE McCORD
OF BLOUNT COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 100**

Address 4222 Montvale Road, Maryville 37803; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Businessman; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Episcopalian; **Organizations and Affiliations** Blount County Chamber of Commerce; Blount County Board of Realtors; National Association of Sports Legislators; TN Farmers Cooperatives; **Member** 101st General Assembly; **Counties Represented** Part of Blount County—8th Representative District



**MICHAEL R. “MIKE” McDONALD
OF SUMNER COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 14**

Address 1695 A.B. Wade Road, Portland 37148; **Date of Birth** 02/21/49; **Spouse** Mila; **Children** Amy and Lance; **Occupation** Educator, Farmer; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Education** B.A., David Lipscomb College; M.A. and Ph.D, University of Illinois; **Organizations and Affiliations** Bledsoe's Lick Historical Association; Gallatin, Portland, Westmoreland, and White House Chambers of Commerce; Associate Member, TN Farm Bureau (Sumner County); TN State Employees Association; Sumner County Democratic Party; **Honors/Awards** Majority Whip, 100th and 101st General Assemblies; Assistant Majority Whip, 99th General Assembly; 1997 TN School Boards Association Legislative Award; 1997 Legislative Award, TN Sheriff's Association; Volunteer State Community College Outstanding Faculty Award, 1990-1991; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Sumner (in part)—44th Representative District



**ROBERT S. McKEE
OF McMINN COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 53**

Address 536 Brewer Street, Athens 37303; **Date of Birth** 04/06/43; **Marital Status** Single; **Occupation** Tire Store Owner; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Meridian Sun Lodge #50; P.E.R. Athens Elks Lodge #1927; Athens Chamber of Commerce; McMinn Economic Development; Shriner; Jaycees; Keith Memorial Methodist Church; **Honors/ Awards** Past Recipient, Athens Young Man of the Year; Legislator of the Year, TN Development Districts; **Previous Service** Past Chairman (Member 1977-1986), McMinn County Council/Commission; **Member** 97th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** McMinn and Monroe—23rd Representative District





**KIM McMILLAN
OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 36**

Address P.O. Box 365, Clarksville 37041; **Date of Birth** 10/15/61; **Spouse** Larry; **Children** Katie and Ryan; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Presbyterian; **Organizations and Affiliations** TN and Montgomery County Bar Associations; Montgomery County Federation of Democratic Women; Clarksville Chamber of Commerce; Clarksville Civitan's Club; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Montgomery—67th Representative District



**LARRY J. MILLER
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 61**

Address 561 Jefferson Place, Apt. 3, Memphis 38103; **Date of Birth** 03/11/54; **Marital Status** Single; **Children** Nekayla; **Occupation** Fire Fighter; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** NAACP; Frayser Exchange Club; Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity; 100 Black Men of Memphis; Memphis Fire Fighters Local 1784; Pioneers Black Fire Fighters; **Member** 98th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—88th Representative District



**RICHARD MONTGOMERY
OF SEVIER COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 30**

Address 606 Old Wagon Road, Semour 37865; **Date of Birth** 10/24/46; **Spouse** Ann; **Children** Megan; **Occupation** Manager, Lockheed Martin Energy Research; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist—Valley Grove Baptist Church; **Education** Hiawassee Junior College; B.S., UT Knoxville; **Organizations and Affiliations** TN School Board Association, NRA; TN Farm Bureau; TN Walking Horse Association; **Member** 101st General Assembly; **County Represented** Sevier—12th Representative District



**JASON E. MUMPOWER
OF SULLIVAN COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 55**

Address P.O. Box 2221, Bristol 37621; **Date of Birth** 9/22/73; **Marital Status** Single; **Occupation** Higher Education; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** Bristol High School; B.A., Economics and Business Administration, King College; **Organizations and Affiliations** National Conference of State Legislators; American Legislative Exchange Council; National Association of Sportsmen Legislators; Bristol Chamber of Commerce; Bristol TN/VA Rotary Club (Rotaract); King College Alumni Association; Sullivan County Republican Party; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Sullivan and Johnson—3rd Representative District

**J. CHRIS NEWTON
OF POLK COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 87**

Address 157 Crescent Drive, S.E., Cleveland, 37323; **Date of Birth** 11/09/70; **Spouse** Ginger; **Occupation** Director of Business Development; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** B.S., Political Science, UT Chattanooga; **Organizations and Affiliations** Ducktown Lodge No. 241; Chattanooga Scottish Rite Club; Shriner; Lambda Chi Alpha; Taylor Ruritan Club; Kiwanis Club of Cleveland; Polk County Farm Bureau; NRA; Appalachian Sportsmen's Club; Cleveland Hunting, Rifle, and Pistol Club; Past Chair, Polk County Republican Party; American Legislative Exchange Council; NCSL; TN State Employees Association; Tri-State Trail and Tree Dog Association; **Honors/Awards** Who's Who in American Politics and Voice for Education Award; Legislator of the Year Award, TN Development District Association; **Previous Service** Assistant Republican Floor Leader, 99th General Assembly; Deputy Republican Whip, 100th General Assembly; Chairman, House Republican Caucus Communications Committee, 100th General Assembly; Treasurer, Third Congressional District Republican Party, 101st General Assembly; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Bradley, Meigs, and Polk—22nd Representative District



**GARY ODOM
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 37**

Address 119 Dunham Springs Lane, Nashville 37205; **Date of Birth** 11/01/51; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Executive Director, TN Optometric Association; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Former Member, Metro Council 23rd District; Past President, TN Society of Association Executives; **Honors/Awards** 1998 Outstanding Conservation Advocate; 1998 Award for Meritorious Service in Environmental Protection; 1998 Legislator of the Year by the Rural Health Association of TN; TN Academy of Physicians Association's Legislator of the Year, 1995; Environment Action Fund Outstanding Legislator of the Year, 1993; TN Physical Therapy Association 1993 Legislator of the Year; TN Recreation and Parks Association Legislator of the Year, 1991; TN Nurses Association Legislator of the Year 1993 and 1995; Honorary Registered Nurse, 1994; TN Task Force Against Domestic Violence Legislator of the Year, 1994 and 1995; The Martha Wyatt Legacy Award for the Advancement of Victims Rights, 1993; ARC/TN Legislator of the Year, 1988; TN Conservation League Legislator of the Year, 1993; National Organization of State Offices of Rural Health Legislator of the Year, 1996; William V. Corr Award, 1995; **Previous Service** Chairman, Davidson County Delegation, 98th General Assembly; Vice Chairman, Conservation and Environment Committee, 99th and 100th General Assemblies; Member, Fiscal Committee, 99th and 100th General Assemblies; **Member** 95th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Davidson—55th Representative District





**ROBERT D. "BOB" PATTON
OF WASHINGTON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 97**

Address 1117 College Heights Drive, Johnson City 37604; **Date of Birth** 09/23/33; **Spouse** Joy; children—Beth, Elaine, Robb and Derek; **Occupation** Professor Emeritus, ETSU Public Health, Businessman; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Christian Church; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, Partners of the Americas, Farm Bureau, Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society, B.P.O. Elks USA, and TN Public Health Association; Society for Public Health Education; TN S.O.P.H.E., Eta Sigma Gamma; former Member, Washington County Commission, Election Commission; former Member and Chair, Johnson City Board of Zoning Appeals; Health and Facilities Board; Chairman, Washington County/Johnson City Liaison Committee; former President, ETSU Faculty Senate; Outstanding Young Men of America; Distinguished Service Award; Distinguished Faculty Member, ETSU; Real Estate License, Health and Accident Insurance License; Member 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Washington—7th Representative District



**PAUL E. PHELAN
OF GIBSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 75**

Address 311 Lombardy, Trenton 38382; **Date of Birth** 12/27/64; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 2; **Occupation** Auto Dealer/Farmer **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** TN Young Democrats; Benevolent and Protective Order of Elk; Loyal Order of Moose; **Member** 98th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Gibson and Carroll—79th Representative District



**CLARENCE PETE PHILLIPS
OF BEDFORD COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 58**

Address Box 744, Shelbyville 37162; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Disciples of Christ; **Member** 88th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Bedford and Lincoln—62nd Representative District

**PHILLIP E. PINION
OF OBION COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 81**

Address 2021 Longview Road, Union City 38261; **Date of Birth** 05/19/52; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Wholesale Food Distributor; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Cumberland Presbyterian; **Organizations and Affiliations** Union City—Obion County Chamber of Commerce; Union City Rotary Club; Director, First Volunteer Bank; Member, Union City Lodge 538 F&AM (Mason); Assistant Majority Whip, 96th General Assembly; House Majority Whip, 97th General Assembly; **Awards/Honors** 1996 Pride of Obion County Recipient; 1992 Legislator of the Year, National Association of the Self-Employed; 1996 Legislator of the Year, TN Development District Association; **Member** 96th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Lake, Obion and Gibson (in part)—77th Representative District



**WILLIAM C. “BUBBA” PLEASANT
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 62**

Address 4189 N. Germantown Road, Arlington 38002; **Date of Birth** 03/19/45; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 4; **Occupation** Fireman; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** Graduated from Bolton High School, Shelby County; attended Memphis State University; **Awards/Honors** Vice-Chairman, Shelby County Delegation, 101st General Assembly **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—99th Representative District



**MARY PRUITT
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 44**

Address 1813 Hillside Avenue, Nashville 37203; **Date of Birth** 02/03/34; **Marital Status** Widowed, husband Charles; **Children** Renaldo and Marilyn; **Occupation** Retired Educator; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** United Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Member, 100 Black Women of Nashville; Honorary Member, Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority; Aristocratic Ladies; Past President, Nashville Club of the Negro Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc. and TN Middle District Civil Liberties League; Member, Adah Chapter/Order of Eastern Star; Daughter of Elks; Davidson County Democratic Women; Board Member, Meharry Medical College, Rochelle Center, and Bethlehem Centers of Nashville; Past Board Member, Matthew Walker Health Center; Urban League; TRAC; Delegate, Jesse Jackson for President, 1998; Member of TN Leadership **Member** 94th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Davidson—58th Representative District





**SHELBY A. RHINEHART
OF VAN BUREN COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 16**

Address P. O. Box 128, Spencer 38585; **Date of Birth** 05/05/27; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Pharmacist; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Masonic Lodge; American Legion; Veterans of Foreign Wars; Kappa Psi Fraternity; Rho Chi Fraternity; Veteran WWII and Korean War; **Member** 81st, 82nd, and 87th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Bledsoe, Grundy, Marion in part, Sequatchie, Van Buren, Warren-37th—Representative District



**L. DON RIDGEWAY
OF HENRY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 71**

Address 72 Edmonds Place, Paris 38242; **Date of Birth** 02/29/48; **Spouse** Mary Kate; **Children** John Penn; **Occupation** Businessman, Insurance; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** UT Alumni Association; Elks; Mason; Shriners; Country Music Association; Weststar Board of Trustees; **Honors/Awards** 1995 Recipient, American Red Cross Extraordinary Personal Action Certificate of Recognition; 1996 Legislator of the Year, TN Association of Human Resource Agencies; Paris-Henry County Senior Citizens' Distinguished and Devoted Service Award; Henry County 4-H's 1994 Friend of 4-H Award; **Previous Service** Majority Caucus Chairman, 1990-1996; **Member** 94th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Henry, Houston, Stewart and part of Dickson—75th Representative District



**DENNIS "COACH" ROACH
OF GRAINGER COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 54**

Address Route 1 Box 106, Rutledge 37861; **Spouse** Glenda; **Children** Willie, Candace, and Julia; **Occupation** Teacher, Coach; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Gideon's International; TN Coaches Association; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assembly; **Counties Represented** Grainger and Jefferson—35th Representative District

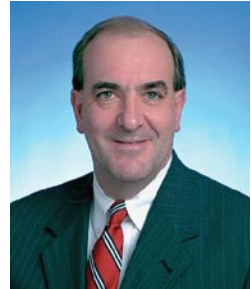


**C. ROBB ROBINSON
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 35**

Address 2031 Neeley's Bend Road, Madison 37115; **Date of Birth** 05/18/22; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 5; **Occupation** President, Hermitage Explosives Corporation; President, Phillips-Robinson Co. **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Nazarene; **Organizations and Affiliations** Al Menah Shrine; American Legion; Past President, Madison Civic Club; Past President, East Nashville Exchange Club; Member, Jere Baxter Masonic Lodge 742; Past President and Founder, TN Gasoline Dealers Association; Veteran of WWII; European Theater of Operations; Member of Nashville, Madison, Old Hickory and Donelson-Hermitage Chambers of Commerce; **Member** 87th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Davidson—51st Representative District

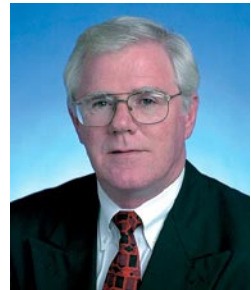
**BOBBY SANDS
OF MAURY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 48**

Address 521 Bear Creek Pike, Columbia 38401; **Date of Birth** 10/5/50; **Spouse** Beth; **Children** Rob, David and Lee; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Education** B.S., MTSU, 1972; J.D. UT Knoxville College of Law, 1979; **Organizations and Affiliations** Past President, Columbia Kiwanis Club; Maury County and TN Bar Associations; Veteran; Member, American Legion; Member; Advisory Board, First Farmers and Merchants National Bank; Past Member, TN Arts Commission **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Maury—64th Representative District



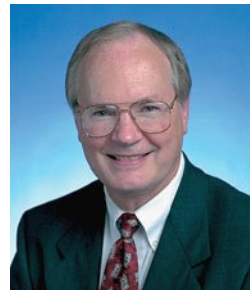
**CHARLES MICHAEL SARGENT
OF WILLIAMSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 28**

Address 908 Riverwood Court, Franklin 37069; **Date of Birth** 02/03/45; **Marital Status** Married; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Presbyterian; **Education** Pace University; **Organizations and Affiliations** Williamson County Chamber of Commerce; Williamson County Heritage Foundation; Williamson County Republican Party; Board Member, Court Appointed Special Advocate; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Williamson—61st Representative District



**LARRY SCROGGS
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 10**

Address 2521 Broad Leaf Cove, Germantown 38139; **Office Address** P.O. Box 382004, Germantown 38183 (901) 861-1500; **Date of Birth** 10/08/41; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 3; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Education** B.A. Harding University, J.D. , Vanderbilt School of Law; **Organizations and Affiliations** Memphis Bar Association; Past Director and Chairman, Judicial Evaluation and Recommendations Committee; TN Bar Association, Litigation Section; American Bar Association, Tort and Insurance Section and Fidelity and Surety Committee; Memphis Area Chamber of Commerce; Advisory Committee Member, Harding University Graduate School; Former Member, Germantown Kiwanis Club; Past Board Member and counsel, AGAPE Child and Family Services; Former Member, Shelby County Republican Steering Committee. **Recent Honors/Awards** Darden School for Emerging Political Leaders, University of Virginia, 1998; Who's Who in American Law; Minority Floor Leader, 101st General Assembly **Previous Service** City Judge, Germantown, 1980-86; Lt., U.S. Navy (1963-67); Vietnam Service; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—94th Representative District





**JACK SHARP
OF HAMILTON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 8**

Address 3211 Old Ringgold Road, East Ridge 37412; **Date of Birth** 02/21/36; **Spouse** Mary Ann; **Children** 4; **Occupation** Retired **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** East Ridge Lodge #755; TN Lodge of Research; Alhambra Temple; Chattanooga Scottish Rite; American Legion; NRA; Pachyderm Club; East Ridge Hospital Board of Trustees; Area 4 Special Olympics Board; Marine Corps League; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Hamilton—30th Representative District



**ARNOLD A. STULCE
OF HAMILTON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 6**

Address 108 War Memorial Building, Nashville 37243; **Date of Birth** 04/29/25; **Spouse** Doris; **Occupation** Retired; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Pilot Army Air Corps World War II; Charter Member of Soddy-Daisy Jaycees and Kiwanis Club; Business and Industry Advisory Board for Conferences and Continuing Education, UT Knoxville; Hamilton County Board of Education—7 years, Chairman—4 years; Board of Red Bank Community Hospital—15 Years, Chairman—10 Years; Chair, Board Red Bank/Soddy-Daisy Charitable Foundation; Commissioner and Vice-Mayor Soddy-Daisy; Retired from DuPont after 38 1/2 Years Service; Chair of Trustees, First Baptist Church Soddy-Daisy; Four years on Board for T. E. A. M. Evaluation Center Chattanooga; **Member** 98th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Hamilton—31st Representative District



**JOHN C. TIDWELL
OF HUMPHREYS COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 79**

Address 158 Harbor Circle, New Johnsonville 37134; **Date of Birth** 8/15/41; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 2; **Occupation** Civil Engineer; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Education** Attended High School in Adamsville; Post Graduate—Castle Heights Military Academy in Lebanon; B.S., Civil Engineering UT Knoxville; **Organizations** Professional Engineering License #7772; **Previous Service** City Council, New Johnsonville; Regional Planning Commission, New Johnsonville; TN River Port Authority; Humphreys County Commission; Regional Solid Waste Board, Humphreys County; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Benton, Perry, Decatur, Wayne and Humphreys—74th Representative District

**HARRY J. TINDELL
OF KNOX COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 26**

Address P. O. Box 27325, Knoxville 37927; **Date of Birth** 10/30/60; **Marital Status** Single; **Occupation** Businessman; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Education** Fulton High School; B.S., Finance, UT Knoxville; **Member** 97th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Knox—13th Representative District



**CURRY TODD
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 91**

Address 891 Lancelot Circle, Collierville 38017; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Administrative/Business Owner/Retired Law Enforcement; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** University of Memphis, Society, Inc.; Board of Directors, University of Memphis and M-Club; Collierville Republican Club; Shelby County Republican Party Steering Committee; Fishersville Civic Club; Collierville Rotary Club; Memphis/Shelby County Job Conference Committee; Memphis Zoological Society; TN Correction Volunteer Advisory Board; **Previous Service** TN Peace Officers and Training Commission; Chairman, Peace Officers Standard Training Commission (POST); Lobbyist, Fraternal Order of the Police, 1982-87; Chairperson, Criminal Justice Committee, Memphis and Shelby County Job Conference; Lobbyist, Memphis Police Department/Memphis Police Association, 1976-88; **Member** 101st General Assembly; **County Represented** Shelby—95th Representative District



**JOE TOWNS, JR.
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 64**

Address 4528 St. Honore, Memphis 38116; **Marital Status** Single; **Occupation** Transportation/Fed Ex Manager; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Mississippi Blvd. Christian Church; **Organizations and Affiliations** Progressive Black Men; Kappa Alpha Psi; Gardenview Home Owner Association; **Member** 99th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—84th Representative District





**BRENDA KAYE TURNER
OF HAMILTON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 5**

Address 1101 Dodd's Avenue, Chattanooga 37404; **Date of Birth** 03/14/48; **Marital Status** Single; **Occupation** Businesswoman; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Episcopalian; **Organizations and Affiliations** American Association of University Women; Chattanooga Chamber of Commerce; Board Member, Signal Center for Exceptional Children and Adults; Epilepsy Foundation of Greater Chattanooga; Corporate Board Member, Girls Club of Chattanooga, Inc.; Member, National Association for Female Executives; Business and Professional Women; Auxiliary of the Association of Trial Lawyers of America; American Trauma Society Board; National Medal of Honor Museum Board; Ronald McDonald House Advisory Board; **Member** 93rd through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Hamilton—29th Representative District



**LARRY TURNER
OF SHELBY COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 69**

Address 752 West Levi Road; **Date of Birth** 01/16/39; **Spouse** Johnnie; **Children** Larry; **Occupation** Owner, All Star Realty Company; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Baptist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Shelby County Democratic Voters Council; former President, Foster Care/Adoptions Task Force; former Assistant Treasurer, National Business League; Urban League; Board Member, Memphis Branch NAACP, Leath Street Day Care Center, and Metro Memphis Development Corporation; Member, Board of Directors of Memphis in May; Member, UT Roundtable; former Chairman, Shelby County Delegation; Secretary Treasurer, Democratic House Caucus; **Member** 94th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Shelby—85th Representative District



**RAYMOND B. WALKER
OF RHEA COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 11**

Address P.O. Box 626, Dayton 37321; **Date of Birth** 4/25/35; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 2; **Occupation** Agency Manager of Farm Bureau Insurance; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Education** Graduate, Spring City High School, 1955; Graduate, Multi-Line Skills Insurance with designation of LUTCF; Graduate, Dale Carnegie Speaking and Human Relations Program; **Organizations and Affiliations** RET Council, Member and former President, Dayton Rotary Club and Dayton Chamber of Commerce, former Member, Rhea County Medical Center Board, former President, Dayton Jaycees; **Honors/Awards** Dayton's Young Man of the Year; the UT William and Mary Hale "Family of the Year" Award; **Previous Service** 25th District Representative, 1977 TN Constitutional Convention; Legislative Committee, Rhea County Farm Bureau; **Member** 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Rhea and Cumberland—25th Representative District

**PAGE WALLEY
OF HARDEMAN COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 97**

Address 23085 Highway 18 North, Toone 38381; **Date of Birth** 03/02/57; **Marital Status** Married; **Children** 3; **Occupation** Clinical Psychologist/Businessman; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Baptist (Minister); **Education** A.B., Davidson College; M.S., Ph.D. University of Georgia; **Organizations and Affiliations** First Baptist Church, Bolivar; TN Farm Bureau; NRA; American Psychological Association; TN Psychological Association; National Register of Health Service Providers in Psychology; Mississippi and Iowa Psychological Associations; Chester Co. Arts Association; 4-H Endowment Matching Fund Committee; past Member, Hardeman County Library Board; Hardeman County Developmental Center Board; E-911 Board; Hardeman County Community Health Agency Board; Western Mental Health Institute Advisory Board; 1997 TN Association of Child Care "Champion of Children." Republican Whip, 100th General Assembly; **Recent Honors/Awards** 1995 Legislator of the Year, TN Association of Mental Health Organizations; TN Association of Child Care, 1997 Friends of Children Award; TN Juvenile Court Services Associate President's Award, 1997 Legislator of the Year; TN Forestry Association Legislator of the Year; TN Association of Human Resource Agencies, 1998 Representative of the Year; National Alliance of Mental Illness, 1998 Legislature of the Year; Nashville Alliance of Mental Illness, 1998 Legislator of the Year—Ambassador of Hope Award; **Member** 97th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Chester, Fayette, and Hardeman—80th Representative District



**BEN WEST, JR.
OF DAVIDSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 20**

Address 4013 Port Cleburne Lane, Hermitage 37076; **Date of Birth** 03/19/41; **Spouse** Phyllis; **Children** Tracey, Melissa, Amy; **Occupation** President/CEO-Security Express, LLC and Automated Teller Machines, LLC; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Episcopal; **Organizations and Affiliations** Donelson-Hermitage Chamber of Commerce; 32nd Degree Mason; Scottish Rite, Shriner; Member, Board of Directors, Centerstone Mental Health Center; TN Arts Foundation; Former Member, Senior Citizens, Inc.; Board Member, TSEA; Donelson-Hermitage Neighborhood Association; Board of Directors, Summit Medical Center; Trustee for McKendree Village Retirement Complex, Association for Retarded Citizens of Davidson County, The Association for the Preservation of TN Antiquities; Recipient of 1990 Public Personnel Award from the Governor's Committee on Employment of People with Disabilities; Mid-Cumberland Area Development Corporation; Board of Directors, Donelson-Hermitage YMCA; **Member** 94th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Davidson (Donelson, Hermitage, Antioch and Cane Ridge Communities)—60th Representative District





**KEITH WESTMORELAND
OF SULLIVAN COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 99**

Address 3216 Kenridge Street, Kingsport 37664; **Date of Birth** 08/26/46; **Spouse** Alice; **Children** Joel, Stoney; **Occupation** Consultant; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations:** Fraternal Order of the Police, TN Sheriff Association; United Commerical Travelers; NRA; Outdoorsmen, Inc.; Loyal Order of the Moose; Fraternal Order of the Eagles; Kingsport Interfraternal Council; Kingsport Visitors Council; Kingsport and Bristol Chambers of Commerce; Legislative Committee for Economic Development; Bristol Roundtable for Economic Development; East TN Tourism Council; Integrated Emergency Preparedness Council Steering Committee; Chairman, Sullivan County Long Range Planning; Board of Directors, Sullivan County Children's Advocacy Center; Upper East TN Juvenile Detention Center; Upper East TN Human Development Agency; First TN Human Resource Agency; Northeast TN Industrial Development Commission; Criminal Justice Advisory Board, Walters State Community College and ETSU; Salvation Army; Local Elected Official and Private Industry Council; Job Training Partnership Act; **Previous Service** Sullivan County Executive 1986-1990; First TN Development District Law Enforcement Planner 1975-76; Law Enforcement Instructor, Walters State Community College 1976-78; Veteran, United States Air Force 1964-68; Assistant Republican Floor Leader, 98th General Assembly; **Recent Honors/Awards** Legislator of the Year, 1994; Outstanding Legislator, TN Development District Association, 1994; Award of Merit, TN Forestry Association, 1994; **Member** 98th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Sullivan—2nd Representative District



**JOHN M. WHITE
OF LAWRENCE COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 57**

Address 191 Waldon Road, Lawrenceburg 38464; **Date of Birth** 09/29/60; **Spouse** Kimberly; **Children** Drew, Ben, and Ellie; **Occupation** Businessman; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Church of Christ; **Organizations and Affiliations** Former President Alumni Association of Leadership Lawrence County; Board Member, Lawrence County Chamber of Commerce; Member, Lewis County Chamber of Commerce; Little League Coach; **Member** 99th, 100th, and 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Lawrence, Lewis, Wayne and Maury—70th Representative District

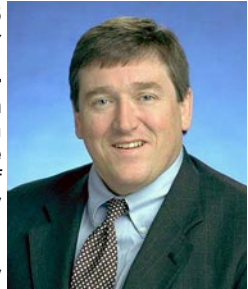


**ZANE C. WHITSON, JR.
OF UNICOI COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 34**

Address Box 168-B, Unicoi 37692; **Date of Birth** 10/28/33; **Marital Status** Married; **Occupation** Economic Development Director; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Methodist; **Organizations and Affiliations** Shriner; Masonic Lodge; Kiwanis; Farm Bureau; T.E.A.; N.E.A.; Unicoi County Education Association; **Member** 91st through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Unicoi and Greene—5th Representative District

**L. MIKE WILLIAMS
OF WILLIAMSON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 4**

Address 420 Roberts Street, Franklin 37064; **Date of Birth** 08/19/57; **Spouse** Nancy; **Children** Keel, Emma; **Occupation** Businessman; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Protestant; **Organizations and Affiliations** Franklin Board of Alderman; Williamson County Library Board of Trustees; Franklin City Planning Commission; Franklin Breakfast Rotary Club; President, Williamson County MTSU Alumni Association; Sigma Phi Epsilon Alumni Association; **Member** 98th through 101st General Assemblies; Majority Floor Leader, 100th and 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Williamson and Cheatham—63rd Representative District



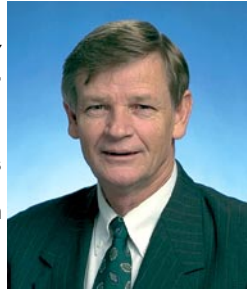
**JOHN MARK WINDLE
OF OVERTON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 18**

Address P.O. Box 707, Livingston 38570; **Date of Birth** 05/21/62; **Marital Status** Single; **Occupation** Attorney; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Christian; **Member** 97th through 101st General Assemblies; **Previous Service** Captain, National Guard; **Counties Represented** Fentress, Morgan and Overton—41st Representative District



**LESLIE WINNINGHAM
OF SCOTT COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 47**

Address P. O. Box 186, Huntsville 37756; **Date of Birth** 07/03/40; **Spouse** Peggy; **Children** Carrie, Allison, Shannon, Jennifer, and Sarah; **Occupation** Retired; **Political Preference** Democrat; **Religious Preference** Presbyterian; **Organizations and Affiliations** B.S./M.A., Tennessee Technological University; Mason; **Member** 94th through 101st General Assemblies; **Counties Represented** Clay, Jackson, Pickett, Scott and Macon (in part)—38th Representative District



**BOBBY G. WOOD
OF HAMILTON COUNTY
CHAMBER SEAT NO. 7**

Address 7733 Lasata Lane, Harrison 37341; **Date of Birth** 09/21/35; **Spouse** Jeanne; **Children** 2; **Occupation** Insurance; **Political Preference** Republican; **Religious Preference** Church of God; **Organizations and Affiliations** Teen Challenge Drug Program Board; SSS Drug Program Board; Chattanooga Area Family Week, Chairman; Central Alumni; National Platform Speakers Association; Toastmasters of America; PTA; World Trade Council; American Legislative Exchange Council; Full Gospel Businessmen's Association; Independent Insurers of TN; Conference of Insurance Legislators; National Council of State Legislators; Pachyderm Club; GOP Sustainers Club; UT of Chattanooga; Chicago School of Transportation; President, Carriage Hill of Chattanooga Insurance; **Member** 90th through 101st General Assemblies; **County Represented** Hamilton—26th Representative District

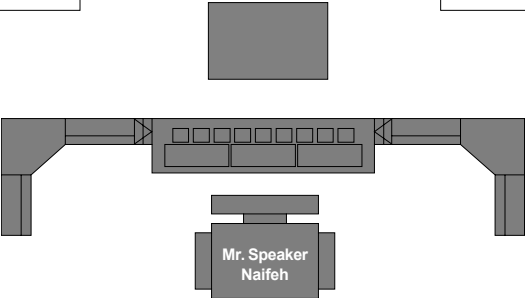


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R. Cole Givens		Tidwell Jackson		Pinion Buck		L. DeBerry Bowers		Bunch Goins		Newton Hargett	
77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88
Rinks Phelan		Fitzhugh Maddox		Fraley Ridgeway		Chumney L. Turner		Brooks Beavers		Black Hassell	
76	75	74	73	72	71	70	69	68	67	66	65
McKee Roach		Mumpower Godsey		White Phillips		U. Jones J. DeBerry		Miller Pleasant		Cooper Towns	
53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
Gunnels Davis		Harwell Walley		Sands Winningham		Garrett Briley		Pruitt S. Jones		Caldwell Ferguson	
52	51	50	49	48	47	46	45	44	43	42	41
Buttry Montgomery		Brown Hagood		R. Davis Whitson		Robinson McMillan		Odom Langster		Arriola Lewis	
29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
Sargent Dunn		Tindell Armstrong		Boyer McDaniel		Hargrove Kisber		West Bone		Windle Curtiss	
28	27	26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17
Bittle Scroggs		Walker McAfee						Head McDonald		Davidson Rhinehart	
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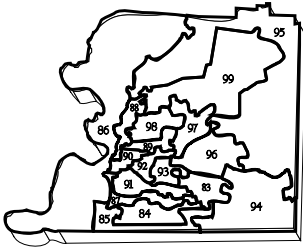
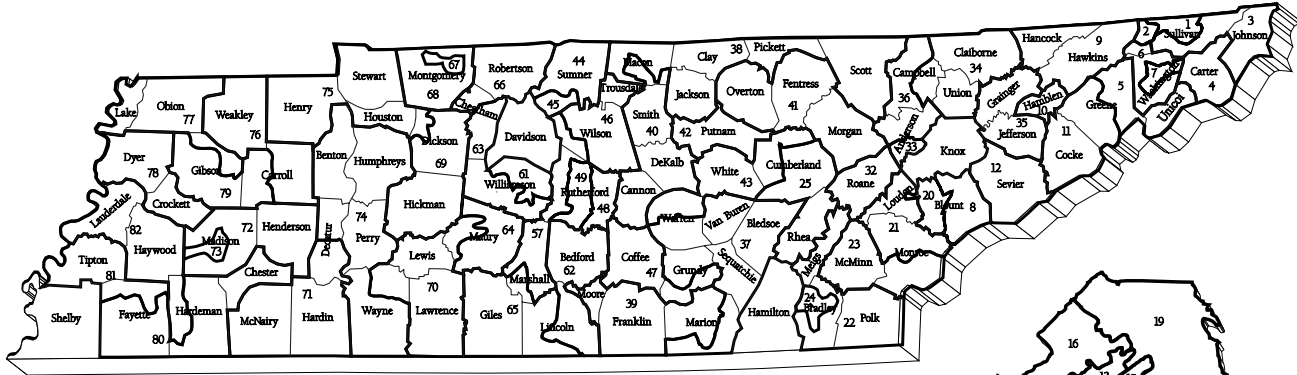
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Baird	William	741-3335	205 WMB	37243
Beavers	Mae	741-2421	209 WMB	37243
Bittle	H.E.	741-0810	115 WMB	37243
Black	Diane	741-1999	113 WMB	37243
Bone	Stratton	741-7086	110 WMB	37243
Bowers	Kathryn	741-2509	23 LP	37243
Boyer	Jim	741-5046	112 WMB	37243
Briley	Rob	741-2184	109 WMB	37243
Brooks	Henri	741-5625	38 LP	37243
Brown	Tommie	741-4374	22 LP	37243
Buck	Frank	741-3817	32 LP	37243
Bunch	Dewayne	741-3730	107 WMB	37243
Buttry	Steven	741-4375	207 WMB	37243
Caldwell	Gene	741-4400	202A WMB	37243
Chumney	Carol	741-1855	26 LP	37243
Cole	Ralph	741-5725	217 WMB	37243
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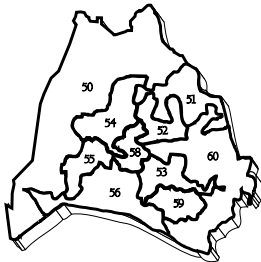
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TENNESSEE HOUSE DISTRICTS

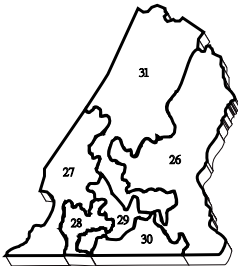
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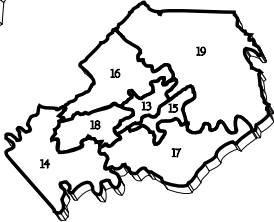
Shelby



Davidson



Hamilton



Knox

District/Representatives

- (1) Steve Godsey
- (2) Keith Westmoreland
- (3) Jason Mumpower
- (4) Ralph Cole
- (5) Zane Whitson
- (6) David Davis
- (7) Bob Patton
- (8) Joe McCord
- (9) Ken Givens
- (10) Stancil Ford
- (11) Ronnie Davis
- (12) Richard Montgomery
- (13) Harry Tindell
- (14) H.E. Bittle
- (15) Joe Armstrong
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- (17) Jamie Hagood
- (18) Steven Buttry
- (19) Jim Boyer
- (20) Howard Kerr
- (21) Doug Gunnels
- (22) Chris Newton
- (23) Bob McKee
- (24) Dewayne Bunch
- (25) Raymond Walker
- (26) Bobby Wood
- (27) Bill McAfee
- (28) Tommie Brown
- (29) Brenda Turner
- (30) Jack Sharp
- (31) Arnold Stulce
- (32) Dennis Ferguson
- (33) Marvin Gene Caldwell

District/Representatives

- (34) Mark K. Goins
- (35) Dennis Roach
- (36) William Baird
- (37) Shelby A. Rhinehart
- (38) Les Winningham
- (39) George W. Fraley
- (40) Frank Buck
- (41) John Mark Windle
- (42) Jere Hargrove
- (43) Charles Curtiss
- (44) Mike McDonald
- (45) Diane Black
- (46) Stratton Bone
- (47) Butch Lewis
- (48) John Hood
- (49) Mary Ann Eckles
- (50) Tim Garrett
- (51) Robb Robinson
- (52) Rob Briley
- (53) John Arriola
- (54) Edith Taylor Langster
- (55) Gary Odom
- (56) Beth Halteman Harwell
- (57) Mae Beavers
- (58) Mary Pruitt
- (59) Sherry Jones
- (60) Ben West
- (61) Charles N. Sargent
- (62) Pete Phillips
- (63) Mike Williams
- (64) Bobby Sands
- (65) Joe Fowlkes
- (66) Gene Davidson

District/Representatives

- (67) Kim McMillan
- (68) Tommy Head
- (69) Doug Jackson
- (70) John White
- (71) Randy "Bear" Rinks
- (72) Steve McDaniel
- (73) Matt Kisber
- (74) John C. Tidwell
- (75) Don Ridgeway
- (76) Mark Maddox
- (77) Phillip Pinion
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- (81) Jimmy Naifeh
- (82) Craig Fitzhugh
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- (84) Joe Towns
- (85) Larry Turner
- (86) Barbara Cooper
- (87) Kathryn I. Bowers
- (88) Larry J. Miller
- (89) Carol Chumme
- (90) John Deberry
- (91) Lois DeBerry
- (92) Henri Brooks
- (93) Mike Kernell
- (94) Larry Scroggs
- (95) Curry Todd
- (96) Joyce B. Hassell
- (97) Tre Hargett
- (98) Ulysses Jones
- (99) W.C. "Bubba" Pleasant

LEGISLATIVE SESSION

The General Assembly convenes on the second Tuesday in January of each odd numbered year for an organizational session. The organizational session may not last more than 15 consecutive calendar days. No legislation can be enacted during the organizational session. The General Assembly then reconvenes no later than the Tuesday following the organizational session to commence the regular session. The General Assembly may then recess or adjourn from time to time as it may determine. Generally, Legislative sessions last from mid-January through late April or May of each year.

House Committee/Session Schedule 101st General Assembly

Monday:

5:00 p.m.	FLOOR SESSION	CHAMBER
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Tuesday:

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Calendar & Rules	HHR 16
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Consumer & Employee Affairs	HHR 31
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Commerce	HHR 16
10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.	Government Operations	HHR 30
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Education	HHR 16
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.	Agriculture	HHR 31
12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Health & Human Resources	HHR 16
1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Finance, Ways and Means	HHR 16
3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	State & Local Government	HHR 16
3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.	Conservation & Environment	HHR 30
4:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.	Children & Family Affairs	HHR 29

Wednesday:

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Calendar & Rules	HHR 16
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.	Transportation	HHR 16
10:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon	Judiciary	HHR 16
2:00 p.m.	FLOOR SESSION	CHAMBER

Thursday:

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.	Calendar & Rules	HHR 16
9:00 a.m.	FLOOR SESSION	CHAMBER

***HHR** denotes House Hearing Room located in the Legislative Plaza

HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

101ST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Agriculture

Ken Givens – Chairman
Kathryn Bowers – Vice Chairman
Dennis Ferguson – Secretary

William Baird	Mark Goins
Stratton Bone	Dennis Roach
Bill Dunn	Raymond Walker
Stancil Ford	John Mark Windle

Children & Family Affairs

Carol Chumney – Chairman
John DeBerry – Vice Chairman
Mark Maddox – Secretary

Diane Black	Kim McMillan
Kathryn Bowers	Robert “Bob” Patton
Tommie Brown	Larry Scroggs
Craig Fitzhugh	John White
Mark Goins	L. Mike Williams

Commerce

Shelby Rhinehart – Chairman
Paul Phelan – Vice Chairman
Charles Curtiss – Secretary

John Arriola	Douglas Gunnels	Charles M. Sargent
Kathryn Bowers	Jamie Hagood	Joe Towns, Jr.
Ralph Cole	Beth Harwell	Brenda Turner
Ronnie Cole	Joyce Hassell	Raymond Walker
John DeBerry	Doyle “Butch” Lewis, Jr.	Page Walley
Craig Fitzhugh	Robert McKee	John White
Stancil Ford	Jason Mumpower	L. Mike Williams
George Fraley	Clarence “Pete” Phillips	Bobby Wood
Steve Godsey	Bobby Sands	

Conservation & Environment

L. Don Ridgeway – Chairman;
Gary Odom – Vice Chairman;
Tommie Brown – Secretary;

Harley Earnest “H.E.” Bittle	Joe McCord
Charles Curtiss	Larry Scroggs
Steve Godsey	Arnold Stulce
Michael Kernell	John Tidwell
Bill McAfee	

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Ben West, Jr. – Chairman;
Larry Turner – Vice Chairman;
Sherry Jones – Secretary;

William Baird	Howard Kerr
Rob Briley	Edith Taylor Langster
Steven Buttry	W.C. “Bubba” Pleasant
Barbara Cooper	

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Gene Caldwell	Mike McDonald
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Matthew Kisber – Chairman
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Health & Human Resources

Joe Armstrong – Chairman
Mary Pruitt – Vice Chairman
Mary Ann Eckles – Secretary

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Diane Black	Steve McDaniel
Gene Caldwell	Jason Mumpower
David Davis	Gary Odom
John DeBerry, Jr.	Robert “Bob” Patton
Lois DeBerry	Brenda Kaye Turner
Dennis Ferguson	Page Walley
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David Davis
Bill Dunn
George Fraley
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Tommy Head
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Dennis Edward Roach
Jack Sharp
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Calendar & Rules

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Craig Fitzhugh – Secretary

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OFFICERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



BURNEY T. DURHAM

Chief Clerk of the House

The House Chief Clerk's Office is charged with keeping all official records of the House. This involves accepting legislation for introduction, keeping appropriate files of all bills and resolutions; providing clerking staff to standing committees; compiling and distributing a weekly agenda of committee meetings and scheduled bills; compiling a daily journal of activities of the House; providing vote information to members, the press and public; keeping accurate records of all committee proceedings; accepting all amendments filed by members; data entry of bill introductions and sponsors of legislation; keeping a bill and personal index of all legislation; and other clerical activities. In addition, the Chief Clerk performs other duties assigned to him by the Speaker.



BETTY KAY FRANCIS

Chief Engrossing Clerk of the House

The Chief Engrossing Clerk of the House of Representatives is also appointed by the Speaker of the House. The Chief Engrossing Clerk's primary function is to combine original bill text and adopted amendment text; if passed by one House only, it is referred to as "Engrossing"; if passed by both Houses it is referred to as "Enrolling". Engrossing readies a bill for transmission to the second House; Enrolling prepares a bill for transmission to the Speakers and/or Governor for their signatures.

This office also prepares photo-ready letterhead and newsletters as well as other documents, (such as certificates of recognition, proclamations, page certificates, etc.) and prepares presentation copies of resolutions and proclamations.

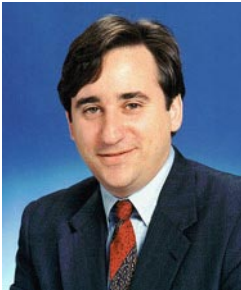
VICTOR THOMPSON

Chief Sergeant-at-Arms of the House

All Sergeants-at-Arms are responsible through the Chief Sergeant-at-Arms to the Speaker of the House of Representatives. The Chief Sergeant-at-Arms is appointed by the Speaker as one of the first orders of business during the Organizational Session of a General Assembly. It is their responsibility to keep order in the Chamber; to secure the doors and admit only appropriate people to the floor while the legislature is in session, and to perform other functions at the direction of the Speaker.



SPEAKER'S OFFICE



JIM SHULMAN
Chief of Staff



RETA ADAMS
Executive Assistant

The Speaker's Staff must handle all of the normal duties which are handled by the offices of individual Members plus the additional administrative and legislative duties which are unique to the Speaker's Office. The Speaker's Staff assist the Speaker in addressing constituent questions and concerns, tracking approximately 3,000 pieces of legislation which are filed during each term of the General Assembly. They coordinate the Speaker's signing of legislation which is enacted into law and all resolutions which are adopted. They advise the Speaker on important legislative matters which are being reviewed by legislative committees and review all bills and resolutions which are scheduled for committee and floor action.

The Speaker's Office coordinates the Speaker's schedule of meetings both with constituents and with public officials. The Speaker's Office must handle requests from members for office assignments, office staff and furniture, per diem requests and excuses from members who are unable to attend legislative sessions.

THE LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Under the Tennessee Constitution, legislative authority of the State is vested in the General Assembly, which consists of a Senate and a House of Representatives, both dependent on the people (that is, popularly elected). The name of the legislative authority may vary from state to state, but usually it is called the Legislature or the General Assembly. The official title in our state is the "General Assembly of the State of Tennessee," but is entirely proper to refer to the "Legislature".

The House of Representatives is composed of 99 members who are elected to two-year terms of office. They are elected by the voters of their House legislative district. A representative must be a citizen of the United States, at least 21 years old, a citizen of Tennessee for at least three years and a resident of the county he represents for at least one year before the election.

The Senate is composed of 33 members who are elected to four-year terms of office. They are elected by the voters of their Senate legislative district. A senator must be a citizen of the United States, at least 30 years old, a citizen of Tennessee for at least three years and a resident of the county or district they represent for at least one year before the election. While Senate terms are for four years, approximately half of the senators run for office every two years. This is generally referred to as "staggered terms".

The General Assembly convenes on the second Tuesday in January of each odd-numbered year for an organizational session of not more than 15 calendar days. When the Legislature initially convenes, the first order of business is the swearing in of the members-elect. The two bodies meet in their respective chambers and the members take an oath of office swearing to support the constitution of the United States and the constitution of Tennessee and to perform their official duties impartially without favor or prejudice and to always protect the rights of the people. Each body adopts its rules of order.

The membership of each body then elects a presiding officer or speaker.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives is elected by the entire membership of the House for a two-year term (the lifetime of each separate General Assembly) and holds that office until a successor is chosen at the initial convening of the next General Assembly. No limit is placed on the number of times a member may retain the office of Speaker. Under current rules the House also elects a Speaker Pro Tempore.

The Speaker appoints the officers of the House including the Chief Clerk, Chief Engrossing Clerk and Chief Sergeant-at-Arms. The Speaker also appoints the officers of each standing committee and the membership of the standing committees. Once all organizational business is completed the General Assembly then convenes in regular session and begins to act on legislation.

In general, the functions of the Legislature are to enact, amend, and repeal the laws of Tennessee. Some of the specific powers granted to the General Assembly by the state Constitution include: the appropriation of all money to be paid out of the state treasury; the levy and collection of taxes and the right to authorize counties and incorporated towns levy taxes.

A quorum of two-thirds of all the members to which a house is entitled is required to transact any business; a smaller number can only adjourn from day to day and may compel the attendance of absent members.

For a new law to be made it must be considered and passed on three separate days by both the House and Senate. A constitutional majority is required for a new law to pass. This means it must receive at least 50 favorable votes in the House and 17 favorable votes in the Senate.

An idea for a new law is put into a form that is referred to as a "bill". That "bill" is then passed by each the House and Senate twice. At that time general bills (ones with state application) are referred to committee for review. That is where most of the work is done in determining if the bill should be modified, amended, or not reported out of the committee. Bills which the committees do approve are sent on through the system so that eventually they may be voted on by the full House for the third and final time. Once a new law has been acted on favorably by the House and Senate it is then sent to the Governor who can approve it by signing it, vetoing it, or letting it become a law without his signature.

CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS

There are three Constitutional Officers: the Secretary of State, the Comptroller, and the Treasurer. The Constitution provides that each shall be elected by the members of the General Assembly; the Secretary of State of four years and the Comptroller and Treasurer for two years each.

RILEY C. DARNELL **Secretary of State**

The Secretary of State is mandated by the constitution to keep a register of all official acts and proceedings of the Governor. It also keeps all acts and resolutions adopted by the General Assembly and signed by the Governor. Other duties include: supervising and overseeing all Tennessee Elections; licensing charitable organizations; receipt and recording of all corporate charters and annual reports; the receipt of all trademarks; the execution of notary commission; and receipt of all state administrative rules and regulations. He serves on the State Funding board, Board of Equalization, Board of Claims, State Building Commission, Library and Archives Management Board, School Bond Authority, Publications Committee, Public Records Commission, Tennessee Housing Development Agency, board of Trustees of Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System, State Capitol Commission, Tennessee Competitive Export Corporation and others. The Election Commission and State Library and Archives are in this department. The Secretary of State has offices in the State Capitol as well as the James K. Polk State Office Building.



STEVE ADAMS **State Treasurer**



The State Treasurer is charged with various duties including accounting for the receipt and disbursement of public funds, investing available cash balances, administering the Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System and investing the pension fund. His Office is responsible for operating the State's Unclaimed Property and Escheat Program, the Division of Claims Administration, Deferred Compensation and Flexible Benefits. The Treasurer is a member of the Bank Collateral Pool Board, Board of Claims, Board of Equalization, Board of Trustees of the TCRS, Commodity Producer Indemnity Corp.,

Council on Pensions and Insurance, Defense Counsel Commission, Funding board, Investment Advisory Council, Public Records Commission, Savings Institution Collateral Pool Board, Security for Public Deposits Task Force, Sick Leave Bank Board, State Building Commission, State Capitol Commission, State Insurance committee, State Library and Archives Management Board, State School Bond Authority, State Teacher Insurance Committee, State Trust of Tennessee, TN Child Care Loan Guarantee Board, TN Competitive Export Corp., TN Higher Education Commission, TN Housing Development Agency, TN Local Development Authority, TN Student Assistance Corporation, Tuition Guaranty Fund Board and the Workers Compensation Fund Board. The Treasurer has an office in the State Capitol; staff offices are in the Andrew Jackson State Office Building.

JOHN G. MORGAN

Comptroller of the Treasury

The Comptroller of the Treasury is responsible for audit of State and local government entities and participates in the general financial and administrative management of State Government. He is a member of the State Building Commission, State Capitol Commission, Board of Claims, Board of Equalization, State Funding Board, Tennessee State School Bond Authority, Tennessee Local Development Authority, Tennessee Housing Development Agency, Board of Standards, Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System, Health Facilities Commission, Tennessee Student Assistance Corp., Publications Committee, Public Records Commission, State Insurance Committee, Local Education Insurance Committee, Local Government insurance committee, State Library and Archives Management Board, Tennessee Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations, Information Systems Council, Tennessee Competitive Export Corp., State Trust of Tennessee Board of Directors, Child Care Facilities, Loan Guarantee Corp., Governor's Council on Health and Physical Fitness, Tennessee Sports Festivals, Inc., Utility Management Review Board, Local Government Data Processing Corporation, Tennessee Commodity Producers Indemnity Corporation, Worker's Compensation Insurance Fund Board, Wastewater Financing Board and the 1996 Bicentennial Commission. The Capitol Print Shop is part of the Comptroller's Office. The Comptroller has an office in the State Capitol and staff offices in the James K. Polk State Office Building.





The most detailed representation of the original gilt curtain cornices is seen in this photograph taken in 1954 for Walt Disney. *Courtesy, Tennessee State Museum*

THE HOUSE CHAMBER*

The House of Representatives is the most monumental space created by William Strickland for the Capitol and the one significant design most fully realized before his death in 1854. The Chamber was first occupied in October 1853 in an uncompleted state by the General Assembly. The hall encompasses the whole south end of the second floor, is two stories high and is flanked by galleries situated above eight small offices. These offices originally served as committee rooms with direct access from the floor of the House. The galleries are separated from the hall at each side by eight monolithic limestone columns. The fluted stone shafts are topped by Composite Ionic capitals of the same stone. The hall was finished almost entirely in limestone with the exception of the oak window sash and doors and a coffered plaster ceiling.

The original furnishings included 45 large double white oak desks supplied by the South Nashville Manufacturing Company and 127 large white oak chairs with cushions supplied by McComb and Cornelius. The utilitarian character of the desks is apparent in early photographs of the hall. The earliest representation of the Hall was a steel engraving illustrating an 1858 Methodist convention. That view shows upholstered barrel back chairs in the stylish Rococo mode. All other early representation of the Hall illustrate simple three-rung ladder back and spindle-back "captain" style chairs. Both are more in keeping with the sturdy unadorned nature of the oak desks although the spindle back chair may be the original one used.

Another object originally in the House Chamber was a large white marble-faced eight-day wall clock manufactured by Howard & Davis, of Boston. This clock was placed on the north wall and is visible in a photograph taken in 1954. Also seen in this photograph is a small wood "school house" pendulum clock manufactured by Seth Thomas and still in use today.

There were fifty recessed downlights installed in the ceiling in 1957. Four ornate bronze incandescent chandeliers are suspended from the ceiling. Each fixture features two tiers of lights with a total of twenty-four bulbs. The spherical frosted glass globes have an engraved star motif. These fixtures can be lowered for relamping from individual electrical winches in the attic.

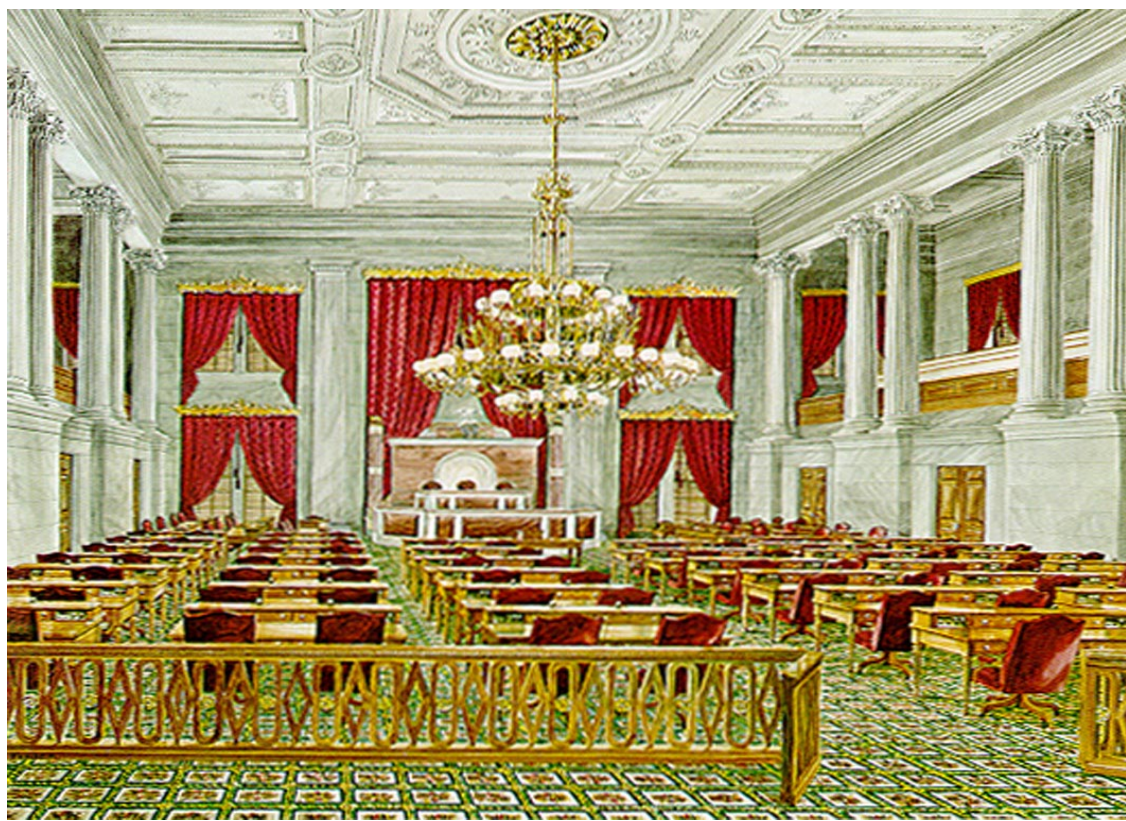
The 1969 renovation included the installation of the draperies featuring fabric incorporating the state seal and metallic painted wood cornices with an egg-and-dart molding. New mahogany members desks with enclosed and paneled bases replaced a second generation of similar desks which in turn replaced the original oak double desks.

Four electronic voting and information boards were recently installed on the ledge in front of the east and west galleries in 1985.

*This material is excerpted from The Tennessee State Capitol Historic Structure Report (1985-86), which was prepared for The State Building Commission.



The original marble rostrum desks and the marble faced eight day clock supplied by Howard and Davis of Boston are documented in this photograph taken in 1954 for Walt Disney. *Courtesy, Tennessee State Museum.*



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